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The operator will employ the following milling operations and reclamation techniques on approximately 8.9 acres of private and federal land.

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The person representing the company is Mr. Keith Moeiler; Phone (801) 755-1414. Cliffon Mining Company is fulfilling obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Utah Code Ann. §40-8-18.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision to Issue approval is hereby requested to submit written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to Mary Ann Wright, Associate Director of Mining, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, Box 145801, Sait Lake (City, Ulah 84114-5801, setting forth factual reasons for the complaint. If no responsive written protests are received by the Division within 30 days after the last date of publication, the tentative decision of the Division within 30 days after the last date of publication, the tentative

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